RESOLVED, That if a bill be introduced in Congress which will restore the rights of the States in regard to the practice of medicine, the President of the Academy be authorized to appoint representatives of the Academy to further the advancement of such legislation.

UNETHICAL PRACTICE—AMBULANCE FEES

It has been reported to the Council of the Academy by the Committee on Public Health Relations that the Association of Private Ambulance Companies has brought to the attention of the staff of the Academy that it is a common practice for physicians to receive or demand a commission from the private ambulance companies for ambulance service rendered to a patient.

This is to advise you that the Council disapproves of this practice because it is unethical and contrary to the best interests of the profession.

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Secretary